

## Declaration for Patent Application



Docket Number: 0652.2290001/EKS/Y-W

As a below named inventors, We hereby declare that:

Our residence, mailing addresses and citizenship are as stated below next to our names.

We believe we are the original, first joint inventors (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **Method for Identifying Compounds Modulating Sister Chromatid Separation**, the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

- ☒ was filed on January 22, 2002;  
as United States Application Number 10/051,311; and  
was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information that became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f), or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or § 365(a) of any PCT international application, which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)			Priority Claimed
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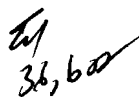
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**Schroedinger Ingelheim International GmbH**, a corporation of Germany, having a principal place of business at Binger Straße 173, D-55216 Ingelheim am Rhein, is assignee of the entire right, title and interest for the United States of America (as defined in 35 U.S.C. § 100), by reason of an Assignment to the Assignee executed on (1) 5/13/02, (2) 5/12/02, (3) 5/15/02 of an invention known as **Method for Identifying Compounds Modulating Sister Chromatid Separation** (Attorney Docket No. **0652.2290001/EKS/Y-W**), which is disclosed and claimed in a patent application of the same title by the inventors (1) Jan-Michael PETERS, (2) Irene WAIZENEGGER and (3) Wolfgang SOMMERGRUBER (said application filed on January 22, 2002 at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, having Application Number 10/051,311).

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